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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Ammar Derraa

Serial No.: 09/383,331

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For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING
FIELD EMISSION DEVICE HAVING
INSULATED COLUMN LINES (as
amended)

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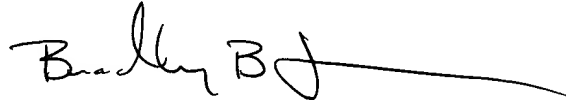
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Sir:

Applicant concurs with the reasons as stated by the Examiner insofar as they comprise a summary, and are exemplary and not limiting. However, the independent claims as allowed include other and different language than that specified by the Examiner, and the allowed dependent claims include other and further features and elements. Accordingly, the scope of the

claims must be determined from the literal language of each as a whole, as well as equivalents thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

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